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Applicant : Mary Lynne Hedley et al.  
Serial No. : 09/664,225  
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Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

PETITION FOR THREE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.136, applicants hereby petition that the period for response to the action dated April 24, 2002, be extended for three months to and including October 24, 2002.

Enclosed is a check for \$460 for the required fee. Please apply any other charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050, referencing Attorney Docket No. 08191-013001.

Respectfully submitted,

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